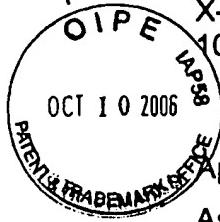


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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed from the Patent Office on August 17, 2006, please reconsider allowance of the claims in view of the Remarks below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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